

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/722,614 Filed: November 26, 2003 9999999999 Examiner: Tsai, Sheng Jen Group/Art Unit: Inventor(s): 2186 Karr et al. Atty. Dkt. No: 5760-09200 I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first SYSTEM AND METHOD class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Title: Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date indicated FOR EMULATING below. **OPERATING SYSTEM** B. Noël Kivlin **METADATA TO** § § October 11, 2006 PROVIDE CROSS-Signature Date PLATFORM ACCESS TO STORAGE VOLUMES

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136 FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a one month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 within which to respond to the Official Action mailed June 16, 2006, such extension allowing the undersigned until October 16, 2006 to respond.

A Fee Authorization is enclosed to cover this extension fee. However, if the Fee Authorization is missing or insufficient, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzel, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-1505/5760-09200.

Respectfully submitted,

B. Noël Kivlin Reg. No. 33,929

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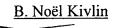
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FEE AUTHORIZATION

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fee to Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzel, P.C. Deposit Account Number 50-1505/5760-09200:

Fee:

One Month Extension of Time

Amount:

\$120.00

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The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any extension fee or other fees which may be necessary to the same account number.

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